

Eastfield Primary School Wolverhampton WV1 2QY Email: <u>office@eastfieldpri.co.uk</u> 18th November 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

Thank you for your support at the start of Anti-bullying Week with 'odd socks day' and also for your support with the fantastic Science homework completed, as part of National Science Week.

Next week, we start our Christmas preparations and our 1st event is a 'House Competition' where we would like children to bring a 'full' bottle donation into school on Friday 25th November – see below.

Thank you to all the parents who have joined us this week for our Phonics workshop and class 14's assembly - it really is so important for home and school to work together and it is wonderful to be able to welcome parents back into school on a regular basis.

Congratulations to our Stars of the Week!

Class 1	Mia-leigh S
Class 2	Madison H
Class 3	Karam D
Class 4	Elias A-S
Class 5	Emmannuel A
Class 6	Adam B
Class 7	Isla S
Class 8	Jacob M
Class 9	Dominika A
Class 10	Salah O
Class 11	Madison J
Class 12	Aurora M
Class 13	Tyler Jarvis
Class 14	Brahmjot K

Dates for Diary Bring a Bottle Day House Competition – Friday 25th November **INSET day** (school closed) – Monday 28th November Winter Fair – Friday 2nd December (4:30-6:30pm) Christmas Jumper Day / **Christmas Dinner / parties** – Friday 9th December **Early Phase Christmas Concert** – Wednesday 14th December 10:45am at St Matthew's Church School breaks up – Friday 16th December



WORD OF THE WEEK - This week our word is

FORMIDABLE 'Formidable' is an adjective and can have several meanings. It means to cause fear or dread or apprehension, however it can also mean to inspire awe and wonder and be very impressive and it also has a 3rd meaning of something being difficult Synonyms for formidable meaning fear / dread: terrifying, scary, fearsome, frightening, terrible, intimidating, horrible Synonyms for formidable meaning impressive:

powerful, tremendous, tough, awesome, terrific, great

Synonyms for formidable meaning difficult: taxing, challenging, daunting, colossal, overwhelming, staggering

e.g. We have a formidable task ahead of us to clear the playground of snow and ice

e.g She was a very formidable lady and always got what she wanted. e.g. The enemy was formidable and the soldiers needed to rethink their tactics. Please ask your child about the word 'FORMIDABLE' and encourage them to use

encourage them to us this word in their everyday talking and their homework.

<u>School Dinners - Week 2</u> (Week beginning 21st November)

<u>Monday</u> - Jacket Potato with various fillings and salad <u>Tuesday</u> - All Day Breakfast Brunch with hash brown bites and baked beans Wadnasday - Traditional Chicken / Quann Deast Dinnen with

<u>Wednesday</u> – Traditional Chicken / Quorn Roast Dinner with creamed potatoes, cauliflower, and green beans <u>Thursday</u> – Beef Enchiladas / Veggie Enchiladas with spicy

wedges and mixed salad

<u>Friday</u> - Fish + chips / Veggie roll + chips with peas or baked beans

GRAB BAGS (SANDWICHES) ARE AVAILABLE DAILY

LOOK OUT FOR A CHRISTMAS ARRANGEMENTS LETTER IN THE COMING WEEKS.

BRING A BOTTLE 'HOUSE' COMPETITION – Friday 25th November

This year, for the 1st time since 2019 we will be running our 'house competition' where house points will be awarded to every child who brings a bottle into school for our Bottle Stall at the Winter fair (the bottles that you generously donate help us to stock our very popular bottle stall at our Winter Fair).

We are asking pupils to donate a bottle (full please) ~ it can be a bottle of pop, water, washing up liquid, shampoo, wine, beer, alcohol etc. Please send the bottles in to your child's classroom on Friday 25th November ~ thank you in advance for your support.

